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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) for:

( X ) one month                      ( ) three months  
( ) two months                      ( ) four months

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for the extension of time is \$110.

( ) Fee enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension of time to Deposit Account No. 50-1290. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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( ) Applicant is a small entity entitled to pay reduced fees in this application.

A verified small entity statement:

( ) has been filed ( ) is enclosed.

Also enclosed is a:

(X) Response ( ) Notice of Appeal ( ) Appeal Brief

( ) Sub Power of Attorney  
Change of Correspondence Address

Respectfully submitted,



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